Beccipt date: 12/10/2009 10571082 - CAN Log 2433

Doc codes. TUS

Approved for use through 07731/2012 OMB 0851/0031

Doc description: Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed

U.S. Patert and Transact Office U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless to contains a valid ONB control number.

NFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Application Number		10571082		
	Filing Date		2006-03-06		
	First Named Inventor D		Daisuke Namihara		
	Art Unit		4143		
	Examiner Name	Miche	elle Banihashemi		
	Attorney Docket Numb	er	FUJY 22.425		

					U.S.	PATENTS			Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Patent Number Kind Codet Issue Date Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document				Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevan Figures Appear						
	1										
If you wish	n to ac	⊔ dd additional U.S. Pater	nt citatio	n inform	ation pl	Lease click the	Add button.		Add		
			U.S.P	ATENT	APPLI	CATION PUBL	ICATIONS		Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code ¹	Publica Date	tion	Name of Pate of cited Docu	entee or Applicant ment	Releva		Lines where	
	1	20050229242		2005-10	-13	Sato, et al.					
If you wish	n to ac	⊔ dd additional U.S. Publi	shed Ap	plication	citatio	ı n information p	lease click the Ado	d button	Add		
				FOREIG	IN PAT	ENT DOCUM	ENTS		Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number ³	Country Code ²		Kind Code4	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document		vhere Rele	or Relevant	T5
	1	2001-036561	JP			2001-02-09	MARUYAMA SHIN	, et al.			×
	2	09-191316	JP			1997-07-22	TOSHIBA CORP				×
	3	2002-141916	JP			2002-05-17	HITACHI CABLE L'	TD			×

Receipt	date	e: 12/10/2009)	Applica	ation N	umber		10571082 105	571082 - GAU: :	2433	
			Filing [Filing Date			2006-03-06				
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)		First Named Inventor Daisul		ıke Namihara							
		Art Unit				4143					
		Examiner Name Michel Attorney Docket Number			Mich	elle Banihashemi					
					er	FUJY 22.425					
If you wis	4 5	2003-069598 11-055306	JP JP	eumont (citation	2003-03-0 1999-02-2	6	ALLIED TERESHISU KK HITACHI CABLE LTD ase click the Add buttor	Corresponds to US 2005/0229242	X	
ii you wis	ii to at	ad additional Foreit					•		Remove		
			NON	I-PATEN	LLITE	RATURE	DOC	UMENIS	Remove		
Examiner Initials*	Examiner Cite Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.							T5			

EXAMINER SIGNATURE Examiner Signature /Michelle Banihashemi/ Date Considered 12/13/2009

If you wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button

Notice of Reason(s) for Refusal dated September 15, 2009, from corresponding Japanese Application JP 2005-509449

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.USPTO.GOV or MPEP 901.04, 2 Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 3 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 4 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 5 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.

Receipt date: 12/10/2009	Application Number		10571082	10571082 - GAU: 2433	
	Filing Date		2006-03-06		
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE	First Named Inventor	Daisu	ke Namihara		
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Art Unit		4143		
(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Examiner Name	Miche	elle Banihashemi		
	Attorney Docket Numb	er	FUJY 22.425		
	CERTIFICATION STAT		JT.		
	CERTIFICATION STA	EME	VI.		
Please see 37 CFR 1 97 and 1 98 to make the	appropriate selection(s):				

OR

]	That no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. See 37 CFR 1.97(e)(2).

That each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the

See attached certification statement.

Fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17 (p) has been submitted herewith.

information disclosure statement. See 37 CFR 1.97(e)(1).

Non

SIGNATURE

A signature of the applicant or representative is required in accordance with CFR 1.33, 10.18. Please see CFR 1.4(d) for the form of the signature.

Signature	/ Pedro Carlos Fernandez /	Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2009-12-10
Name/Print	Pedro Carlos Fernandez	Registration Number	41741

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing and submitting the complete application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22314-1450.

Receipt date: 12/10/2009 Privacy Act Statement

The Privacy Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-579) requires that you be given certain information in connection with your submission of the attached form related to a patent application or patent. Accordingly, pursuant to the requirements of the Act, please be advised that: (1) the general authority for the collection of this information is 35 U.S.C. 2(b)(2); (2) furnishing of the information solicited is voluntary; and (3) the principal purpose for which the information is used by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is to process and/or examine your submission related to a patent application or patent. If you do not furnish the requested information, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office may not be able to process and/or examine your submission, which may result in termination of proceedings or abandonment of the application or expiration of the patent.

The information provided by you in this form will be subject to the following routine uses:

- The information on this form will be treated confidentially to the extent allowed under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a). Records from this system of records may be disclosed to the Department of Justice to determine whether the Freedom of Information Act requires disclosure of these record s.
- A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, in the course of presenting evidence to a court, magistrate, or administrative tribunal, including disclosures to opposing counsel in the course of settlement necotations.
- A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Member of Congress submitting a request involving an individual, to whom the record pertains, when the individual has requested assistance from the Member with respect to the subject matter of the record.
- A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a contractor of the Agency having need for the information in order to perform a contract. Recipients of information shall be required to comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(m).
- A record related to an International Application filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the International Bureau of the World Intellectual Property Organization, pursuant to the Patent Cooperation Treaty.
- A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to another federal agency for purposes of National Security review (35 U.S.C. 181) and for review pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 218(c)).
- 7. A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the Administrator, General Services, or his/her designee, during an inspection of records conducted by GSA as part of that agency's responsibility to recommend improvements in records management practices and programs, under authority of 44 U.S.C. 2904 and 2906. Such disclosure shall be made in accordance with the GSA regulations governing inspection of records for this purpose, and any other relevant (i.e., GSA or Commerce) directive. Such disclosure shall not be used to make determinations about individuals.
- 8. A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the public after either publication of the application pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 135 U.
 - A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Federal, State, or local law enforcement agency, if the USPTO becomes aware of a violation or potential violation of law or regulation.